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# NEW SUPPLIERS SOUGHT



**REGISTRATION**—Representatives of companies in the Southeast register for the first Army Missile Command procurement symposium in Huntsville. Left to right are Mrs. Sally Peak, Mrs. Brenda Rosser and Mrs. Nell Moyer of the Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate, and talking with Col. B. A. Saholsky, Directorate head, is Lee Rhoads of a Huntsville industry. The others are from Knoxville, Tenn., firms and are, left to right, Ray Towle and Donald L. Russell. The symposium was held to acquaint area contractors with ways of doing business with the Army at the Missile Command.

## Procurement Personnel Brief Area Businessmen

The first U. S. Army Missile Command Procurement Symposium, attended by more than 450 prospective Army suppliers from Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and Georgia was held last week in Huntsville.

Opening last Wednesday in Huntsville the meeting was sponsored by the Procurement and Production Directorate of the Missile Command to acquaint industrial suppliers with Army materiel needs and current contracting procedures.

Maj. Gen. Henry A. Miley, Jr., who heads the Procurement and Production Directorate of the U.S. Army Materiel Command in Washington, D.C., climaxed the day's activities with a banquet address on Army procurement.

In opening the symposium, Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commanding General of the Missile Command, said:

"Greater military readiness requirements are resulting in increasing demands for repair parts to keep our weapon systems functioning in the field. It is highly desirable that we increase the number of contractors in the local

area in order to be most responsive to urgent military needs.

"Recently we ran a check of the firms in the local trade areas of Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and Georgia. To our amazement, we found there are less than 200 (See PROCUREMENT on Page 3)



PFC. DAVID L. LACEY

## PFC Lacey Named Soldier Of Month

The Post "Soldier of the Month" for May at Redstone Arsenal is PFC. David L. Lacey, first enlisted Training Company, U. S. Army Missile and Munitions Center and School.

PFC Lacey, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy C. Lacey, 1201 High School Drive, DeRidgen, La., is presently a student in the Ballistic Missile Rocket and Structures Repair course (Sergeant).

A graduate of DeRidgen High School, the 19-year-old soldier entered the service in January 1966. He completed his basic training at Ft. Polk, La., before coming to Redstone Arsenal.

## Gen. Abrams To Speak At AUSA Installation Meet

William T. Weissinger, III, of the Chrysler Corporation's Space Division, will be installed as president of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of the Association of the U. S. Army, at the annual summer meeting in the Redstone Arsenal Officers' Open Mess on June 29.

The retired Army Colonel heads a slate of officers to be installed recently by the chapter membership. He succeeds Dr. Frederick Schultz, of the General Electric Company.

General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr., the Army's Vice Chief of Staff, will be the guest speaker at the annual affair. He will speak on "Materiel Readiness for Strategic Deployment" in his first public appearance in the Huntsville area.

In addition to Weissinger, the new slate of officers to be installed are, J. O. "Pick" Johanson, of the G. W. Jones Co., first vice-



Wm. T. WEISSINGER, III

president; A. A. Stewart, Army Missile Command, second vice-president; J. A. Gannon, Northrop (See AUSA ELECTS on Page 3)

## MICOM Awards Electronics Contract To RCA, Burlington

A \$13,900.00 U. S. Army contract has been awarded to Radio Corporation of America, Burlington, Mass., to supply the Army with electronic equipment that provides automatic testing of guided missile systems.

Called the Land Combat Support System, the new equipment provides a rapid test and repair capability to support the Army's TOW, Lance and Shillelagh missile systems. Other systems might be added later, the Army said.

Announcement of the LCSS was made by the U. S. Army Missile Command. The program is managed by Col. Cyril D. Sterner, Land Combat Commodity Manager.

Consisting of two primary items of equipment—an electronic test set and an auxiliary repair and storage set—LCSS is based on a modular building block concept and will be the first of its kind ever delivered to the field Army.

Housed in standard Army tested shelters and transported on two Army trucks, LCSS can pinpoint

in minutes a missile malfunction—even to a piece part or non-repairable module. When the malfunction is detected, details are printed out in English, along with directions to eliminate the trouble.

The cost-plus-incentive fee contract calls for delivery of LCSS service test models, continued production of program tapes and will support new equipment training for operators.

Each of the missile systems, TOW—Shillelagh—Lance, has a limited built-in troubleshooting capability. If a no-go signal is received from the system before a firing, the trouble usually can be assigned to a module (black box containing electronic gear.) This is where LCSS comes in.

All necessary data about the unit is contained on a punched tape, such as test sequence, test standards and test tolerances. These are programmed by steps. All the data fed to and received

(See MICOM on Page 3)

# The Redstone Rocket

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## Rocket Ruminations

I haven't been abroad in so long that I almost speak English without an accent.

—Robert C. Benchley



SARAH WEAVER

## Miss Weaver Is Awarded Scholarship

Miss Sarah Grace Weaver, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. John H. Weaver, 7104 Garth Road, Huntsville, was recently awarded the American Legion School Award. She graduated this month from Furman University, Greenville, S. C. with a bachelor of Arts degree.

The award is given by many colleges throughout the country to

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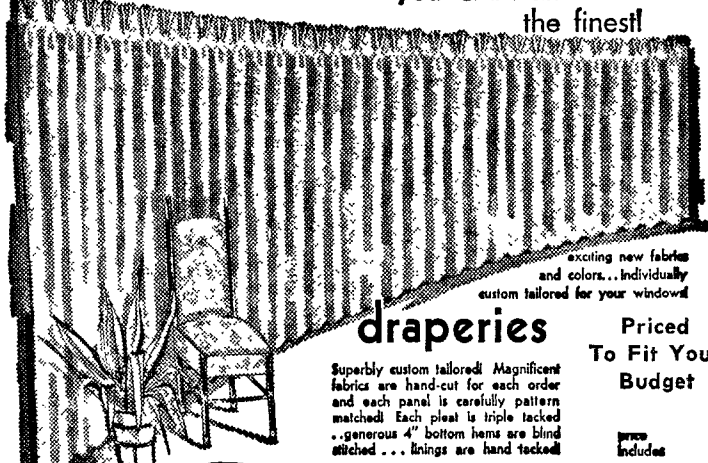
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**RATES EFFECTIVE SUNDAY**—The Army-Air Force Wage Board established the above table of wages for Federal employees in the local area to take affect on June 19 or the first pay period beginning after that date. A shift differential for the second shift adds eight cents an hour or \$166.40 annually; for the third shift, twelve cents or \$249.60 annually.

an outstanding member of the senior class. It is based on characteristics of courage, honor, leadership, patriotism, scholarship and service.

Miss Weaver served as vice president of the Student Body this year. She was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities and to Senior Order, a senior women's honorary organization. Her other activities include the Furman University Singers and the Student Senate.

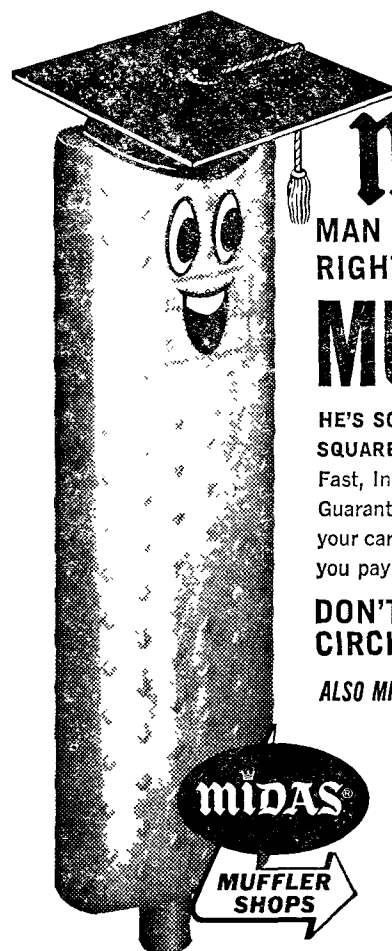
She has a fellowship to Vanderbilt University to work on a master of arts in Teaching Degree in German and will begin her work this Fall.

Miss Weaver was formerly employed in the Sergeant Project Office of the Army Missile Command.

Col. Weaver is chief of the Engineering and Quality Assurance Division of the Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate.

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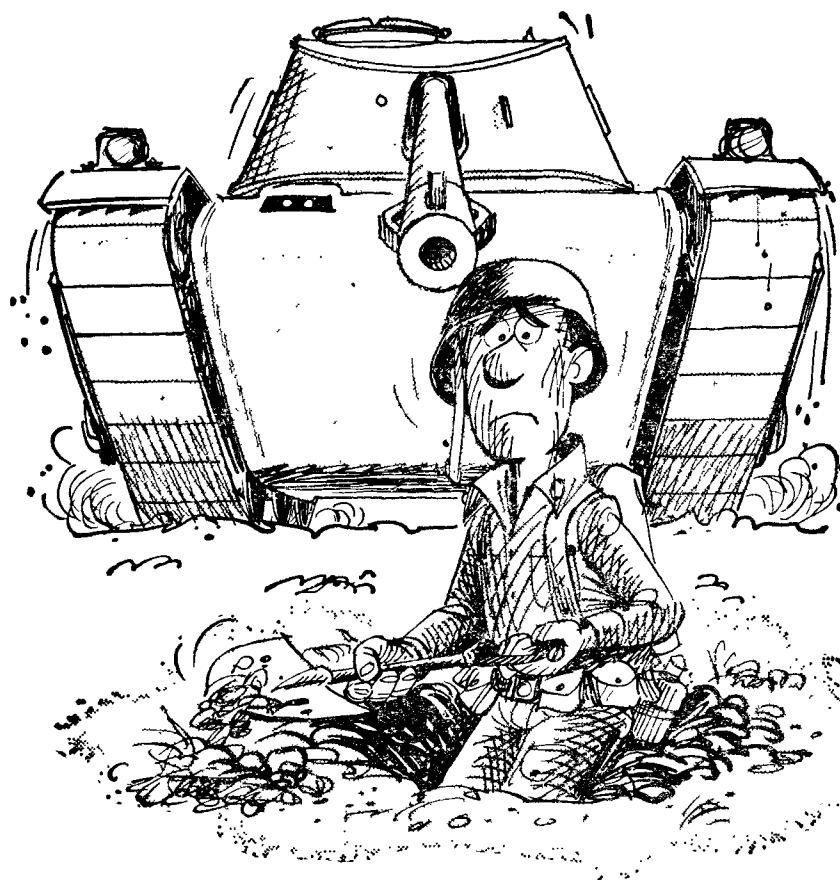
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## PROCUREMENT

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companies who had registered interest in participating in our procurement program."

Col. B. A. Saholsky, Director of the Missile Command's Procurement and Production Directorate, welcomed attendees and introduced members of his staff who discussed details of Army procurement procedures.

J. A. Muller, Assistant Director, Procurement Operations, discussed changes in contracting techniques which have moved contract executive functions to Redstone, increasing the desirability for more local suppliers of repair parts. He said:

"By July 1 we expect to complete a fiscal year contract program of approximately \$800 million. Of this, approximately \$640 million will have gone toward system buys. The remaining \$160 million will have been for repair parts.

"We are projecting for Fiscal Year 1967 that over \$100 million will be spent on repair parts. It is within this portion of dollars that we are striving to increase participation from business located in the area represented here today."

M. H. Knight, Chief, Systems Contract Division A, outlined what a company needs to do to get considered for a contract with the Missile Command and described what the Command does to publicize and inform industry of pending procurements. He also explained how potential bidder's lists are established and maintained.

Specific Government purchase procedures for small and large purchases were discussed by J. K. Fowler and R. L. Powell. Fowler is Deputy Assistant Director, Procurement Operations, and Powell is Chief, Systems Contract Division B.

Fowler described small purchases as those which do not exceed \$2,500 in one category and those not exceeding \$10,000 in another. In discussing streamlined methods of operation, he said:

"Our procedure is to solicit telephonic proposals from known qualified sources, basing award upon the most reasonable price offered corresponding with the required delivery schedules. In cases where we cannot solicit by telephone, Standard Form 18, A Simplified Request For Quotation, is used."

He also said that "Fast Pay Procedure," enabling a supplier to be paid prior to receipt of the items into supply depots, was possible in purchases not exceeding \$2,500.

Fowler said increased requirement due to world conditions had resulted in procurement of high priority items not exceeding \$10,000 by simplified purchase procedures similar to smaller purchases, with the principal difference being the necessity for the contractor's signature on the purchase document.

Powell discussed contracting for repair parts other than the small purchases described by Fowler. He said:

"We project a repair parts program in excess of \$100 million for the 12 month period beginning July 1. Small purchases are expected to amount to about \$26 million with Negotiations and Formal Advertising making up the balance."

Powell said that during the first 10 months of Fiscal Year

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## AUSA ELECTS

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Space Laboratories, treasurer, and J. B. Galloway, Thiokol Co., secretary.

Named to the Board of Directors for one year terms are, J. A. Muller, of the Missile Command; Charles Richardson, Nike-X Project Office; E. J. Dotson, of E. J. Dotson, Associates, and Charles Sparks, Army Missile Support Command.

J. Robert Jones, Huntsville Council of International Visitors. Carl J. Leary, Bank of Huntsville; Col. E. D. Mohlere, Marshall Space Flight Center, and Reavis O'Neal, of the Missile and Munitions Center and School, were elected to two-year terms on the Board.

Three year terms were voted for Thomas D. Johnson, of the North Alabama Industrial Development Assn.; J. L. Payne and Walter F. Eigenbrod, Huntsville attorneys, and Karl Woltersdorf, Huntsville utilities consultant.

A 1938 graduate of the U.S. Military Academy, Weissinger rose to the rank of Colonel while serving on Gen. Patton's Third Army staff in Europe. He returned to the States during the late stages of World War II and was named to the War Department general staff.

Weissinger left the Army in 1947 and after spending seven years in the banking business, joined the Aeronca Corporation as a field representative. He came to Huntsville in 1958 to accept the position with Chrysler.

Weissinger also is a graduate of the Army's Field Artillery School, the Command and General Staff College, and the School of Banking of the South, at Louisiana State

## Variety Of Planes Due For Fly-In

June 24-26 will be a big weekend in Limestone County. Planes of all sizes and shapes—everything from a Smith Miniplane to a Ford Trimotor—will be at Pryor Field, near Decatur, for the inauguration of the Annual Southeastern Fly-in and Air Fair sponsored by Experimental Aircraft Association.

The fly-in was organized and promoted nation-wide by the Tennessee Valley Chapter 190, Inc. of Huntsville, with the assistance of the Athens Jaycees, and businessmen in Madison, Morgan, and Limestone Counties.

Although this is primarily a regional meeting, members of EAA from throughout the nation will attend the fly-in, most of them flying here in their own planes. Some of the members hope to take advantage of advance arrangements for tours of Redstone Arsenal. Some of these will be in two days early for this purpose.

University.

Since coming to Huntsville he has been active in a number of civic and community affairs. He has served on two different occasions with the Budget and Admissions committee of the Huntsville-Madison County United Givers Fund, and was general chairman of the Kiwanis Capers of 1964, a production of the Huntsville Kiwanis Club.

The new president will be tak-

## Hawk Awards \$4.5 Million To Raytheon

A \$4.5 million contract for continued research and development on the Improved Hawk air defense missile has been awarded to Raytheon Company, Lexington, Mass., weapon system prime contractor, by the Army Missile Command.

Under the improvement program the 16-foot-long solid propellant missile is being given increased defensive capability and reliability against attacking aircraft in the Field Army environment. Work covered by the latest contract will be performed at Raytheon's plant in Bedford, Mass.

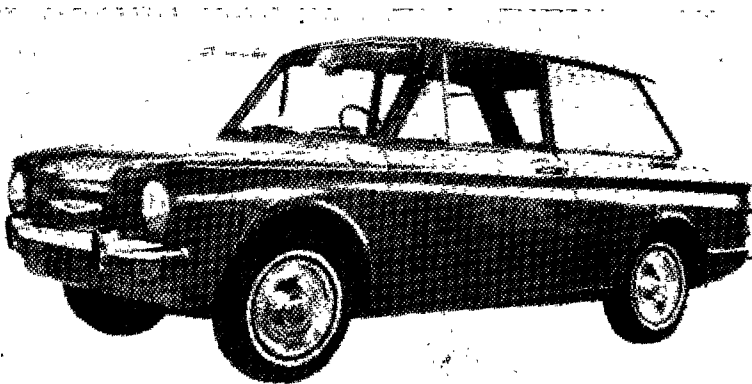
Hawk is in operation with Army and Marine Corps units overseas and in the United States. The weapon system also is built and operated by a NATO production organization.

The Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal is responsible for technical supervision of Hawk. Col. George H. McBride is Hawk Project Manager.

The contract was negotiated by the Missile Command's Procurement and Production Directorate.

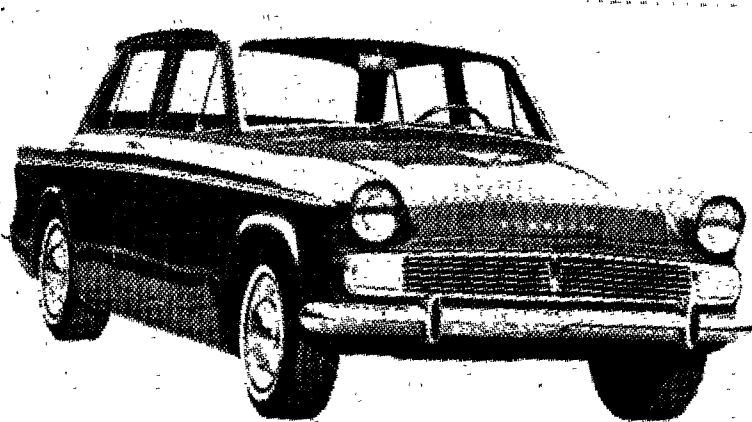
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# Miss Astor-Lt. Zierdt Wedding Held At Redstone's Post Chapel Saturday

Miss Regina Jo Astor and Lt. John Graham Zierdt, Jr., were married in a noon nuptial mass Saturday at the Redstone Post Chapel with Chaplain Charles D. Logue performing the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Lt. Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Raymond Joseph Astor, Riverdale, N. Y., and Lieutenant Zierdt is the son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Zierdt, Redstone Arsenal.

Wedding music was presented by Miss Susan Colquitt, Redstone Arsenal.

Miss Honor Bailey, Severna Park, Md., was the maid of honor, Miss Candace Zierdt and Miss Karen Kostoff were the junior bridesmaids, and Miss Aline Marie Creighton, Miss Mary Townley Creighton and Miss Vicki Zierdt of Redstone Arsenal were bridesmaids.

Gowned alike, they wore ball gowns of georgette over matching taffeta. The sleeveless bodices were of Dutch blue with oval necklines. The skirts were in copen blue with straight fronts that softened to an attached gathered train at the back. The empire bodice was outlined with copen velvet ribbon. Their opened-crown head pieces were also of copen ribbon. They carried bouquets of gardenias and ivy.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She chose a floor length gown in white silk organza over taffeta. French cording outlined the regency neckline and the arched waistline. Etched Brussels lace delicately touched with tiny pearls was applied on the empire bodice and the front of the princess style skirt. The short glove length sleeves were unadorned. A chapel veil of silk illusion cascaded from a toque of matching Brussels lace and organza. Her bouquet was of cymbidium orchids and ivy.

Lt. Eugene D. Atkinson, Birmingham, served as best man. The head usher was Lt. Sam W. Bartholomew, Kingsport, Tenn., and the other ushers were Lt. Jerome



MRS. JOHN GRAHAM ZIERDT, JR.

G. Edwards, Leachville, Ark., Lt. John Redmond, III, San Francisco, Calif., Lt. Bruce D. Andrise, Mt. Prospect, Ill., Lt. Peyton F. Ligon, Raleigh, N. C., and Lt. Terrall M. DeJonckheere, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. All were

classmates of the bridegroom at the United States Military Academy.

The bride's mother wore a dress of pale green Grecian summer crepe decorated with tiny green beads on the yoke and on the cuffs of the three-quarter length sleeves. Her pill box hat and shoes matched the dress.

Mrs. Zierdt chose a blue silk organza dress with full length lace coat and matching accessories. Both mothers had corsages of cymbidium orchids.

The bride's parents gave a reception at the Redstone Officers Open Mess following the ceremony.

For a wedding trip to Sea Island, Ga., the bride wore a blue and white suit with matching accessories. The couple will reside at Ft. Benning, Ga., until November when they will go to Germany.

A rehearsal dinner was given by the bridegroom's parents on Friday evening at their quarters, 1 Wadsworth Drive, Redstone Arsenal.

## SOCIAL and CLUB EVENTS



TO PLAY FOR SEMI-FORMAL DANCE: Left to right are Bobby Glenn, Ray Sanderson, Ronald Whitting, Curtis Boldin and Billie Lee, The Hi-Boys Combo. They will provide the music for the Service Club Summer Semi-Formal dance Saturday night at 7:30. Young Ladies from Ft. McClellan, will be among the guests.

### MRS. BLACKMAN WINS AT BRIDGE

Mrs. W. M. Blackman was winner among members of the Bridge Group sponsored by the Redstone Officers Wives Club each Thursday.

Second high was Mrs. Gene Budd. Mrs. J. A. Davis held low cards during the morning's play.

For the next two months Mrs. A. J. Matthews will coordinate play with the group. Her phone number is 536-9958.

Last Thursday six tables were in competition.

### Miss Wiginton Installs New Toastmistress Slate

Miss Dolli Wiginton, Chairman Council 1, Dixie Region, International Toastmistress Clubs, served as installing officer at the Huntsville Toastmistress Club Wednesday evening at the Russel Erskine Hotel. The ceremony was Miss Wiginton's first function in office.

Officers installed were Mrs. Noel Donlin, president; Mrs. Wayne Gough, vice president; Mrs. Robert M. Coulter, secretary; Mrs. Clyde Wilson, treasurer and Mrs. Rhoda Stambaugh, club representative. Mrs. Gough presented tabletopics.

Miss Nell Curtis, the outgoing club representative, reported on the organizational meeting of Council 1, Dixie Region recently held in Birmingham. The Council is made up of 11 clubs from Mississippi, Georgia and Alabama. The officers elected were Miss Wiginton, chairman; Miss Thelma Leonard (Anniston), vice chairman; Mrs. C. J. Quinn (Rocket City), treasurer, and Mrs. Harriett Cooms (Friendly City-Columbus,

### At The Service Club

By MOLLY PATTERSON

Last week's travelogues were some of the best we have ever had at the Service Club. It was just like taking an arm chair tour of Europe and for an extra movie attraction, films of Viet Nam were shown. The sports films were held over by popular request for those that missed the Davis Cup play-off and the Indianapolis 500 races. If you like a wide variety of sports and travelogues movies, make a date to be at the Service Club every Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. Shuffleboard contestants will vie Friday night at 7 p.m. for a nice prize.

Big news for all you "twisters", the Semi-formal summer dance with the girls from Fort McClellan will be here at the Service Club in all their splendor Saturday, June 25 at 7:30. so get out your best "bib-and-tucker." This is a dress affair-coat and tie or class "A" Uniform. This is the dress requirements at the dance. The "Hi-Boys," one of Huntsville's most sought after bands, will provide the music.

An afternoon Bridge Party has been scheduled for Sunday, at 3:30 p.m. Several of the enlisted men have expressed the desire to play, so this is your chance-there will be something to munch on while you figure out an intricate play, so come on over and join in the fun.

Miss.), secretary. The group will attend the final meeting of Council 8, SE Region in Chattanooga this weekend.

The Huntsville club will dispense with meetings during the month of July. The next meeting is scheduled Aug. 3.



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**IN GOOD STANDING**—Members of the appointive board of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club cluster around the treasurer and the membership chairman to be the first to renew memberships for the coming term. From left are: Mrs. F. H. Niedemeyer, Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Safron Canja, Mrs. A. O. Wiklund, Mrs. R. A. Robinson, Mrs. W. F. LaHatte, Mrs. C. T. Bayer, and Mrs. H. S. Sanford. They held their first meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. M. W. Pettit.

# Appointive-Elective Members Of Board Meet For Coffee At Home Of President

Mrs. Morris W. Pettit held a get-acquainted coffee for elective and appointive members of the board for the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club Friday morning at her quarters. Mrs. Pettit is president for the coming term.

One of the items on the agenda was stress on renewal or new memberships. The 1965-66 membership expired on May 31. Mrs. Anders O. Wiklund is handling the drive for new members. She lives at 50 Bomford Drive. Interested prospective members may contact her by telephone at 877-4459.

The appointive members are committee chairmen. Mrs. R. A. Robinson will head the hospitality committee; Mrs. J. P. Kirkland, house; Mrs. William F. LaHatte,

## Two Sections Of IEEE Plan Meetings This Week

The local Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineer management chapter is meeting Friday

publicly; Mrs. C. T. Bayer, reservations; Mrs. H. C. Sanford, sports, crafts and hobbies; Mrs. C. R. Cranford, welfare; and Mrs. F. H. Niedemeyer, parliamentarian.

Two appointments to the Teen Club board are Mrs. S. R. Baen and Mrs. Samuel Yarchin. On the Thrift Shop Board are Mrs. G. W. Budd, Mrs. C. D. Sterner, and Mrs. Leslie Nicholson.

night at 6 p.m. at the Redstone Officers Open Mess to install new officers after an election.

Grover Daussman, G. P. Gravlee, S. S. Alvi and E. J. Pratt will talk about management factors.

W. W. Newman, Jr., at 876-6158 is the Missile Command reservations officer and Robert Smock 876-8131 is giving the same service in the Support Command.

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The Reliability Group of IEEE meets tomorrow night for dinner at 7:30 p.m. to install its new officers. Their speaker is Jack Trott of the Marshall Space Flight Center.

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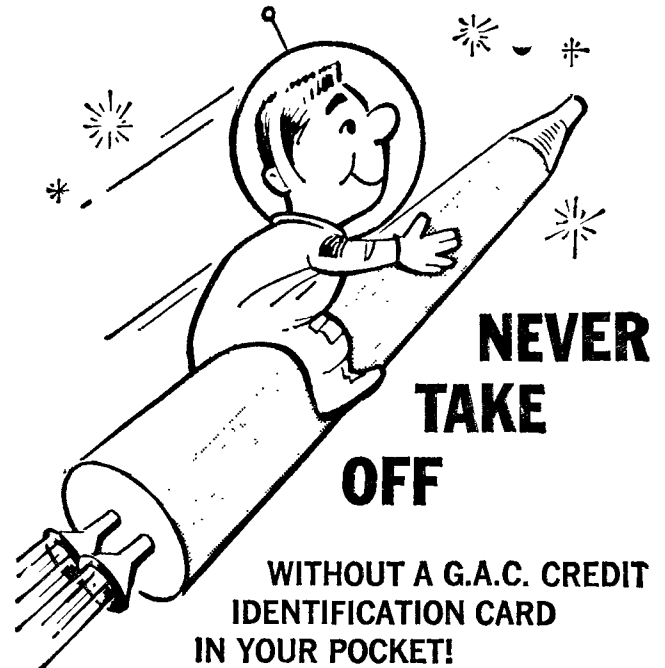
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# Jean Spencer Wins Annual Invitational Here

Jean Spencer of the Huntsville Country Club won the annual Women's Invitational at the Redstone Arsenal Golf Course Wednesday and was medalist in the 18-hole medal play tournament.

Runnerup Shirley Bergeron had a sudden death playoff with Ray Bird to break the 81 tie. Shirley and Ray are both from Willowbrook Country Club.

In the first flight Betty Horton of Val Monte in Guntersville won with an 87 followed by Gladys Campbell of Huntsville Country Club with a 90 score.

In the second flight Jo Zukow of Woodward Country Club in Birmingham scored a 92 with Decatur Country Club's Betty Jones 93 second.

Another Willowbrook Golfer, Mary Lou Houston's 98 placed her on top of the third flight followed by Ruth Bridges with a 99.

Florence Boggs of Val Monte had a 97 to take the fourth flight with Tommie Stewart of Burning Tree in Decatur in second place with a 98.

The fifth flight winner from Fayetteville was Nell Allen with 107. Lucille South of the Redstone Officers Wives Golf Group was second with 108.

Decatur Country Club's Marge Tucker hit 108 to win the sixth flight with Redstone's Eileen Schaefer at 109 close behind.

Teeing off in the tournament were 96 competitors representing country clubs in Alabama and Tennessee. Col. Anders O. Wiklund served as starter for the flights while back at the clubhouse Bill Clisson and Lewis Dorris worked out the scoring.

Mrs. Wiklund served as Tournament chairman; Jackie Hightower as hospitality chairman; Joy Pyle, reception; and Midge Clisson, publicity.

Billy Fogel, chairman of the Wives Golf Group, presided as hostess at dinner in the Hawk Room of the Redstone Officers Open Mess where Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt presented the trophies to the winners.



ADMIRE TROPHIES—Irma Wiklund and Jean Spencer admire the silver trophies Jean won in the annual invitational of the Redstone Officers Wives Golf Group. Mrs. Spencer is champion and medalist. Mrs. Wiklund is the tournament chairman.



PRACTICE—Shirley Jean Bergeron takes a few practice swings before taking to the fairways on the Redstone Arsenal Golf Course. Mrs. Bergeron, a member of the Willowbrook Country Club, was among the competitors in the annual invitational Tournament sponsored by the Officers Wives Club. She came in second in the championship flight.

## Lindsays Lead Way At Half Way Point

With the husband-wife team of Tom and Jean Lindsay leading the way, the Bugs 'n Bunnies took the lead at the half way point of the S&M Summer Mixed Bowling League.

Tom leads the league average race with a 188 through the first six weeks while Jean is second among the women with a 154. Inez Barnes paces the feminine brigade with a 162 mark.

The Bugs 'n Bunnies grabbed the lead last week by breaking their tie with the Elledge 66 Sta-

tion despite being held to a split. The Service station four was only able to win one of four points.

Buck Roberson set the weekly pace with a 549 while Billy Tippins closed out with a 536. Each had a 207 game. Ginny Hight turned in the top effort among the gals with a 491.

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## Golfers Receive Trophies

Trophies in the Spring Golf Tournament were awarded at a special gathering on the Special Services Course at Redstone Arsenal by Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt Friday.

Report on the results was recorded earlier in The Rocket. Final standings follow:

### STANDINGS SPRING TOURNAMENT

Winner 8th Flight Consolation, L/Col F. M. Creighton def E-7 Wigmore; Winner 7th Flight Consolation, Maj. J. P. Mooney def Capt. J. M. Fish 1 up 21 holes; Winner 6th Flight Consolation, S/Sgt R. Frahm def Maj. P. McDermott 3-2; Winner 5th Flight Consolation, L/Col. R. H. McCallum def Capt G. W. Groves 4-3;

Winner 4th Flight Consolation, Sp-5 J. Ackerman won by default; Winner 3rd Flight Consolation, Maj. B. Loomis def Maj. H. Hazlett 2 up; Winner 2nd Flight Consolation, L/Col B. Mattis def 2/Lt T. DiChira 2-1; Winner 1st Flight Consolation, CWO R. Jones def S Maj C. R. Sutey 1 up;

Runner up 8th Flight, E-6 F. A. Roberson; Winer 8th Flight, Maj. L. Dorris; Runner up 7th Flight, Maj. N. E. Hightower; Winner 7th Flight, 2/Lt J. D. Loose; Runner up 6th Flight, Maj. B. Wachsler; Winner 6th Flight, 1/Lt T. E. Little;

Runner up 5th Flight, Maj. C. Hix; Winner 5th Flight, Capt R. L. Dineley; Runner up 4th Flight, E-6 H. Jackson; Winner 4th Flight, L/Col H. G. Radford; Runner up 3rd Flight, Maj. E. Schorsten; Winner 3rd Flight, L/Col R. J. Percy; Runner up 2nd Flight, Capt. J. Werner; Winner 2nd Flight, E-7

H. R. Seal; Runner up 1st Flight, Capt. D. W. Chenault; Winner 1st Flight, SFC R. MacIver.

Spring Handicap Playoff by all Flight Champions and their net scores: Maj. Dorris 81; Lt. Little 78; Capt. Dineley 75; Sgt. MacIver 75; Sgt. Seal 73; Lt. Col. Radford 72. Winner was L/Col. Percy with a net score of 69.

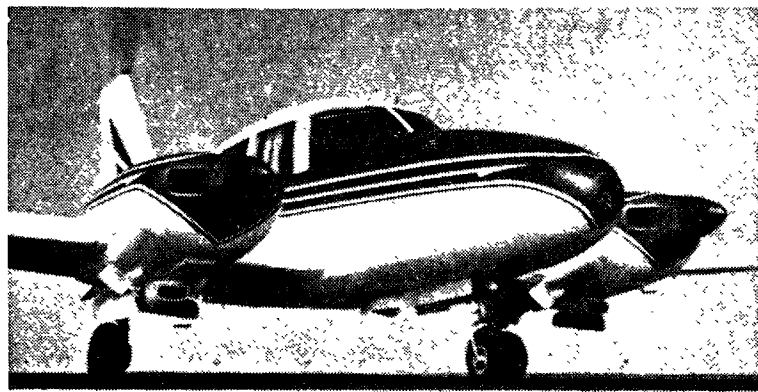
## School And Center Opens Tournament

Action during the first two weeks of the MMCS Officers Handicap Golf Tournament rivaled the weather for warmth as many foursomes teed off to challenge the Redstone Arsenal layout. With 40 officers competing the tempo promises to increase as the tourney progresses toward the deciding rounds.

The 72 hole stroke play tourney officially began June 8 as staff officers registered their first 18 hole test. The handicap tournament is divided into four flights with trophies to be awarded to the winner and runner-up in each flight. July 3 has been set as the deadline for completion of the four rounds and a social event is planned following competition for the awarding of trophies.

First round leaders of the tightly contested tourney are: 1st flight, Col. William C. Rogers; 2nd flight, Lt. Col. Paul E. Towry; 3rd flight, Capt. Eugene C. Holloway; and 4th flight, Lt. Col. Milton I. Fogel.

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The Processors figure three singles usually produce as much scoring as a bases empty home run and they worked their game plans to perfection collecting 24 safe hits, all but two of which were singles.

The Accountants still got their home runs, five of them to be exact, but in each case the homer was delivered without the benefit of base runners and resulted in just five runs.

In other games played last week, Documentation manhandled the Structures and Mechanics Lab, 21-10, Pershing outlasted the Guidance and Control Lab, 15-12, and the Comptrollers handed Procurement and Production their third straight loss, 18-6.

Data Processing got three hits each from Bob Hall and Roy Kirkpatrick in handing the defending champions their first loss despite a pair of circuit clouts by Elliott Agee, and single four basers by Danny Franklin, Russ Ward and Charlie Harper.

Defense was the answer as the Processors turned in an errorless effort led by the second base combination of Gary Mann and Doug Peavy together with the fly catching of Joe McGough. Mann and Peavy turned in three double plays and McGough made three over the head catches of the would-be home runs hit into left center. Bud Smith picked up the win.

Ed Farmer and Lloyd Thomas each connected safely three times and Jim Rose delivered a homer

in leading the Comptrollers to their win over P&P. Dave Hudson was on the hill for the winners and turned in a sparkling 8-hit effort.

Documentation laid down a 24-hit assault to make Phil Kirby's pitching chores easy against the S&M Lab. The Labmen took an early lead but fell victim of 16 Documentation runs in the last two innings.

Six home runs led to ten runs in the sixth and another six came pouring across in the final inning. Sid Sapp had five hits including two homers and a pair of triples, while Randy Knight and Monty Davis each hit for the circuit twice.

Carl Honea, Hal Curtis and Woody Meeks each collected one homer and Honea prevented S&M from coming back with a diving catch of a long drive on what would have been a grand slammer for the final out.

Wayne Dahlke collected a homer, triple and double in leading Pershing to their third win in four starts against G & C. Paige Stagner and Chuck Borum chipped in with a pair of safeties apiece as Del

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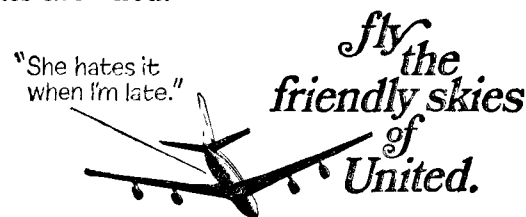
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1st ETC .....	5	4
2nd ETC .....	6	5
4th ETC .....	6	5
Hqs, AMSC .....	5	5
Officers Training Det. ....	3	6
Msl Dept .....	3	9
3rd ETC .....	0	10
Hqs, MICOM .....	0	12
*5th ETC .....	2	9

\*Dropped out of league.

## Civilian Softball

### Standings

Communications .....	3	0
Documentation .....	3	1
Pershing .....	3	1
Fin & Acctg .....	2	1
Data Processing .....	2	1
Comptrollers .....	2	1
Computation Center .....	1	1
G & C Lab .....	1	2
Nike-X .....	0	1
S & M Lab .....	0	2
Proc & Prod .....	0	3
Propulsion Lab .....	0	3

### This Week's Games

Thursday: Pershing vs. S & M Lab,  
G & C Lab vs. Proc & Prod.  
Monday: Communications vs. Fin  
Acctg; Documentation vs. Comp-  
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Tuesday: Comp Ctr vs. G & C Lab;  
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# EXPLOSIVE OPERATORS

**Editor's Note:** Tomorrow is the second anniversary of the official launch in the Department of Defense Zero Defects Program. September will be the anniversary of the kick-off for the Army Missile Command.

One group of employees at Redstone Arsenal adopted a Zero Defects program as a way of life more than 20 years ago.

Twenty-six in the Explosives Division at the Army Missile Support Command were recently awarded "Safety pins" for periods ranging from 26 years for David Hurt in the Explosives laundry to five years for some newer employees on the job. In all, the 26 have amassed one million man hours without a single explosive incident, much less accident.

Head of the Division is J. D. Maples. In the Laundry Branch, the chief is Thomas J. Childers. In the Demolitions Branch, it is Clifton Saxon. The Storage Branch Chief is R. H. Gossett. The median time on the job in the Division is 21 years. Some amassed time in the armed forces as explosives experts before they joined the work force at Redstone Arsenal. A number worked for the Ordnance Corps in the days when Redstone was a shell and ammunition plant supplying World War II's front-line troops.

Missile and rocket research did not lessen the need for the demolitions and explosive experts, but

heightened it instead and increased the number and variety of explosive items the men handle.

On a range tucked away between hills near the banks of the Tennessee River, waste from solid propellants destined for weapons or space, and toxics which require special handling are all disposed of with the greatest safety precau-

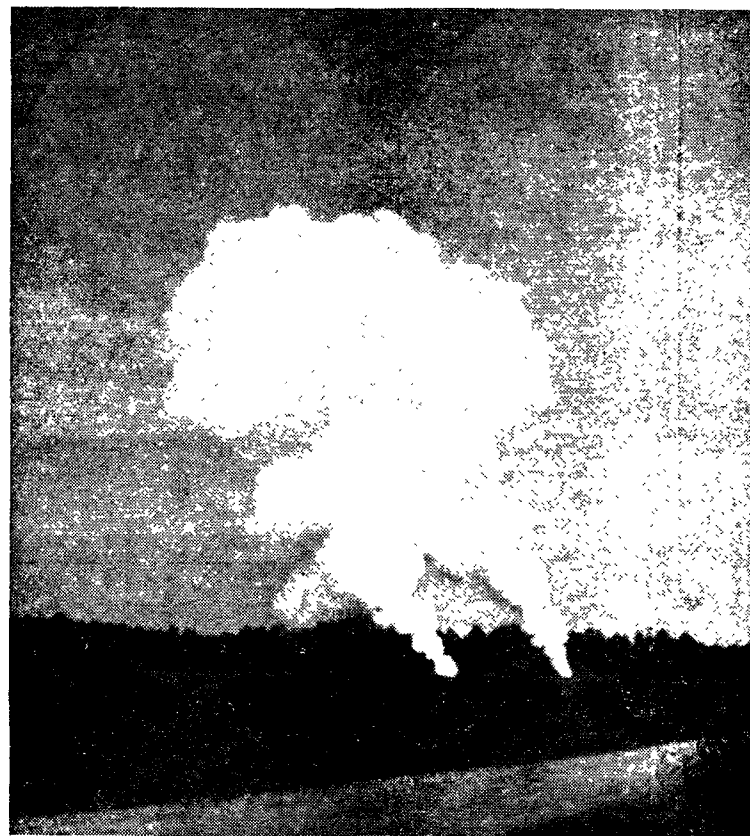
tions the men know how to use. To burn a propellant the last man in from the range bicycles in from the burn area to insert his key in the detonator activator switch box. The range foreman is already waiting in the hut with his key. On the bulletin board along with safety maxims and other information of special interest to em-



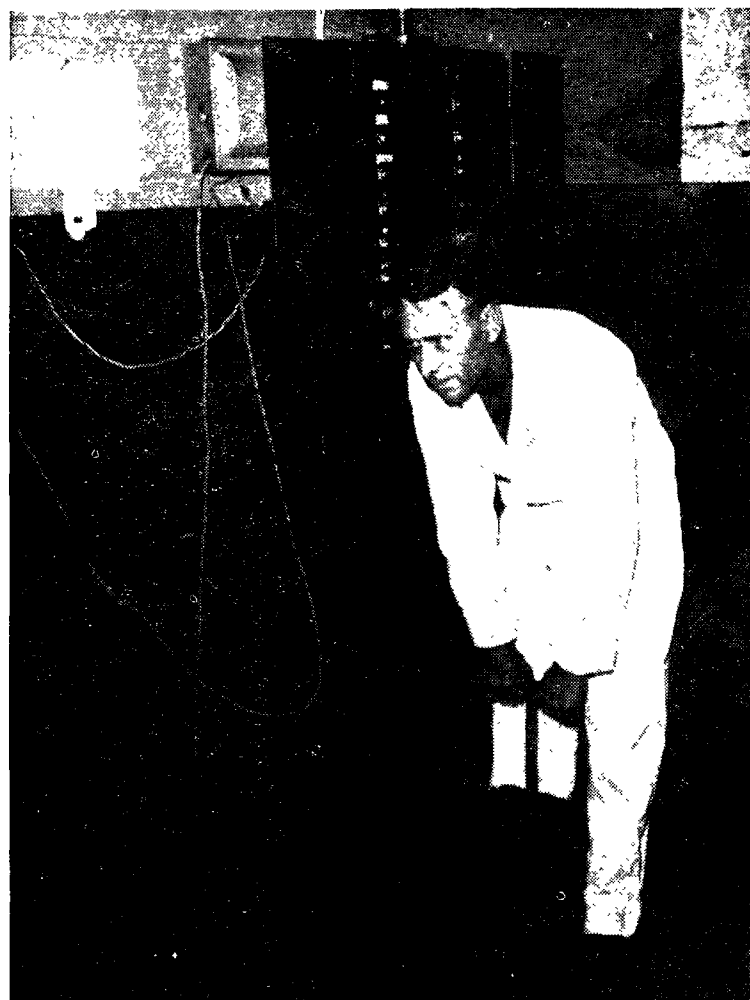
**SAFETY RULES** — Demolitions Branch Chief Clifton Saxon of Huntsville examines the day's SOP's on the explosives demolition area range to be sure the men are following the safety instructions for the material to be destroyed.



**HANDLE WITH CARE**—Thomas Scott, Athens, and James P. Baker of Owens Cross Road unload a barrel of solid propellant waste to be destroyed on the Demolitions range.



**SOMETIMES A BURN**—Sometimes the waste blows and sometimes it just burns on the range.



**EXPECTS A BOOM**—J. R. Robison, Huntsville, pushes the firing plunger to get rid of propellant waste. The hut is an ammunition storage bunker, type structure with grass growing over its concrete roof and sides.

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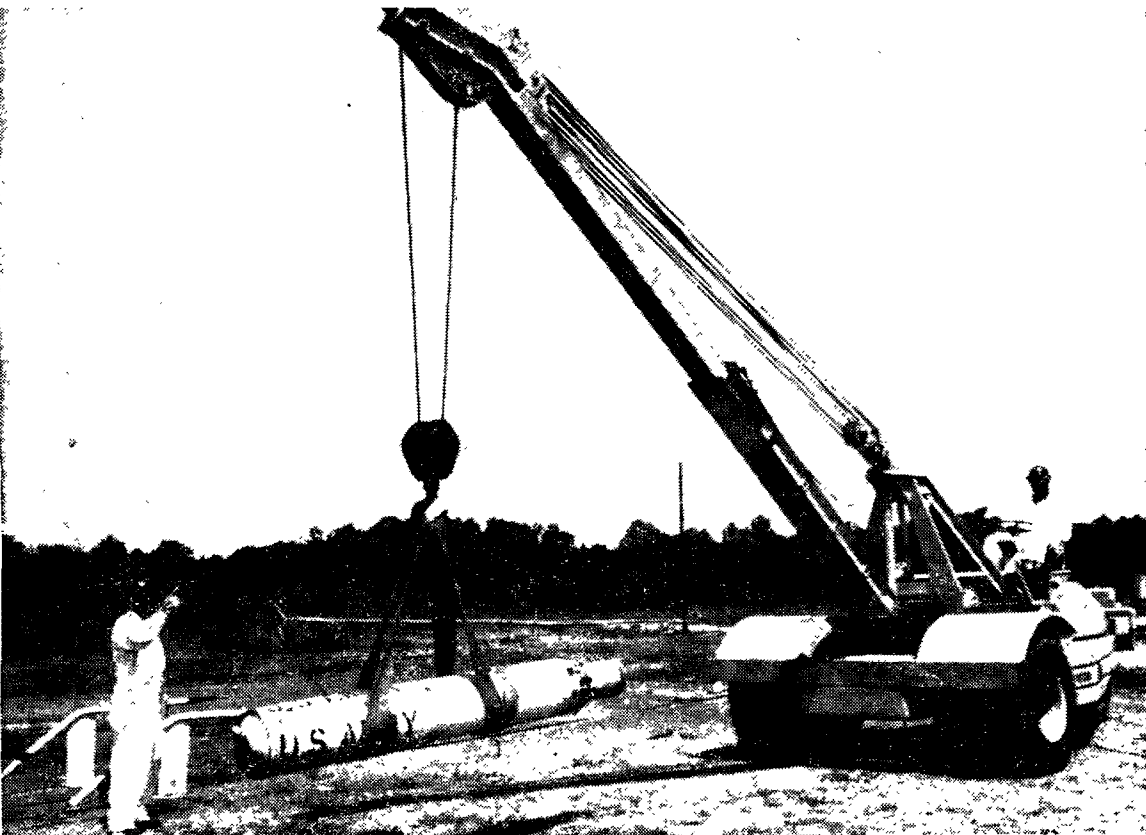
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**CUE IS CARE**—John Barker and Irving Parcus of Huntsville carefully lower a toxic tank of fluid to an excelsior cradle. They will retire to an upwind position before igniting the explosive charge under the cradle which will blow a hole in the can and burn the material.



**SOME TESTS RUN**—Henry Craig of Huntsville and James Buford (on the left), of Gurley, place a rocket motor on a cradle so that a shock wave test can be safely handled. This is done on the demolitions range which is equipped with gauges to measure reactions of different materials mixed with tox.



**SAFE WORKER**—David Hurt, as a soldier and a civilian, has handled explosives for the U. S. Army for the past 26 years without an accident. Hurt is a Huntsville native. At present he is on the staff of the Explosives laundry where clothing, blankets, and other items used in making or handling such explosives as missile propellant in Missile Command research, are decontaminated and cleaned.

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# German Officers Visit Missile Command Monday

Officers from the Federal Republic of Germany visited facilities at Redstone Arsenal Monday for a tour and briefings on missile activities at the U. S. Army Missile Command.

Heading the party was Brig. Gen. Klaus A. Schubert, Commander of the Fifth Armored Infantry Brigade. Others include Lt. Col. Hans Heinrich Andreas Hanke, Lt. Col. Willi Schroeder, Lt.

Col. Siegfried Wallis, Maj. Herbold Freiherr von Amelnunxen, Lt. Col. Theodore Wychoff and Capt. Hartmuth D. Guenther, U. S. Army tour director and interpreter for the group.

The visitors were welcomed by Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commanding General of the Missile Command.

Later in the day, the Germans were briefed on Army missiles, including such systems as TOW. Shillelagh, Sergeant and Chaparral.

Col. Cyril D. Sterner, Land Combat Commodity Manager, is Project Officer for the visit.



**EARNs LEGION OF MERIT**—Col. Reuben W. Mundy, left, winner of the Legion of Merit for his service as head of the Army Missile Command Missile Intelligence Directorate, is congratulated by Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Missile Command Commanding General. Mrs. Mundy admires the medal. The colonel is retiring from Army after more than 26 years of service, and will accept a position with a firm in Mishawaka, Ind. He has been at the Missile Command since January 1964.

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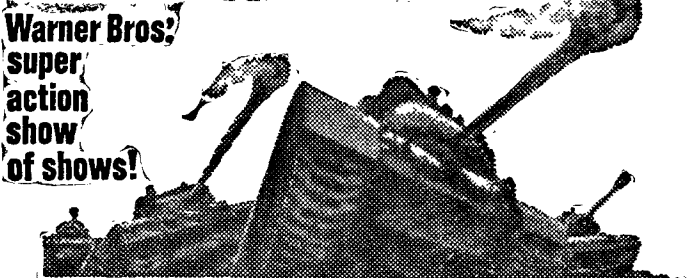
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## Homing Guidance Contract Awarded

Three awards totaling about \$600,000 for parallel research studies on Radar Homing Guidance Investigation have been awarded by the Army Missile Command. The six month studies are to be made by Westinghouse Aerospace Division, Baltimore; General Dynamics/Pomona, Calif.; Raytheon's Bedford Research Laboratories, New Bedford, Mass. The studies are being made for the Advanced Research Projects Agency of the Department of Defense. ARPA Division of the Army Missile Command's Research and Development Directorate directs the program which is part of Project Defender, a study of ballistic missile defense systems. Negotiating the contract for the Army was the Missile Command's Procurement and Production Directorate.

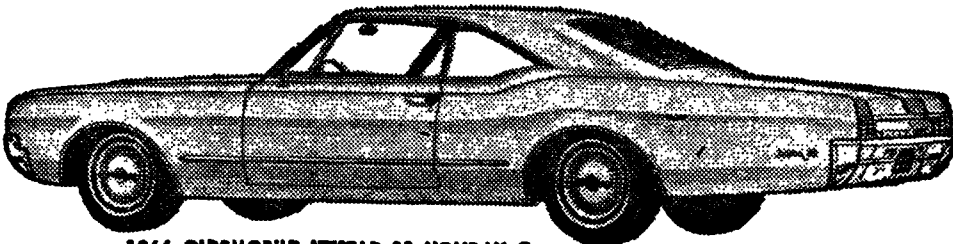
secretaries will discover tomorrow. Providing the musical talent will be Specialist Fifth Class Pat Murphy of 3rd Enlisted Training Company. Murphy began his singing career in 1960 while stationed in Germany. He made his first recordings in 1962 and did radio shows for the Armed Forces Network. While in Europe he sang and recorded with musical groups called the "Tornados" and the "High-lighters." They made several hit records which were handled by the British Broadcasting Company and sold in Europe. He also had his own fan club while in Germany and was known to thousands of teenagers as the "Screaming Irishman." He has been publicized in both

## Births At Post Hospital

Brigit Greta Harbig, June 9, daughter of German Air Force SFC and Mrs. Tristan Harbig, Huntsville.  
Candy Ann Hutson, June 16, daughter of Sp4 and Mrs. Larry Hutson, Redstone Park.  
Gregory Markowski, June 13, son of 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Frank G. Markowski, Redstone Arsenal.

the "U. S. Teen Screen" and the "Country Song Roundup" magazines. He sings rock and roll, jazz and western music. He has appeared with known musical artist such as Brenda Lee, Ferlin Huskey and Jerry Lee Lewis. Murphy has also appeared on Grand Ole Opry and the Louisiana Hayride.

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"Three on a Couch" (F)  
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"Inside Daisy Clover" (M)  
SATURDAY, June 25  
"Planet of the Vampires" (M)  
SUNDAY, June 26  
"Arabesque" (M)  
INCREASED ADMISSION: adults 50c children 25c  
TUESDAY, June 28  
"Gulliver's Travels Beyond the Moon" (F)  
One showing only at 7:00 p.m.

## PROMOTES STEINBURG

SALT LAKE CITY, UT., June 14—Wesley E. Steinburg has been appointed engineering manager for Sperry Utah Company, Division of Sperry Rand Corporation, it was announced by John J. Leete, Sperry Utah Company division manager. Steinburg, former Sergeant Missile System engineering manager for Sperry, succeeds H. E. Meyer, Jr. who has accepted the position of assistant division manager of Sperry Rand's Space Support Division, Huntsville. Transferred to Sperry Utah in August 1960 Steinburg's first assignment was head of Sergeant System ground equipment engineering. He was elevated in 1962 to chief engineer for production of the Sergeant System then to engineering manager. Sergeant Missile System in 1963.

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# Cosby Patents Solid State Stepping Switch

A young electronics engineer employed in the Missile Intelligence Directorate of the Army Missile Command has been granted a patent by the U. S. Patent Office for his invention of a solid state stepping switch for use as an inflight calibrator for a missile telemetry package. The patent was granted through the Army Patent Center of the Army Missile Support Command.

Jimmy W. Cosby perfected the device when he was working in the Electromagnetics Laboratory of the Missile Command Research and Development Directorate. He moved to Missile Intelligence about a year ago.

The advantage of the stepping switch is that the circuit acts like an adjustable one-shot multivibrator and requires less components.

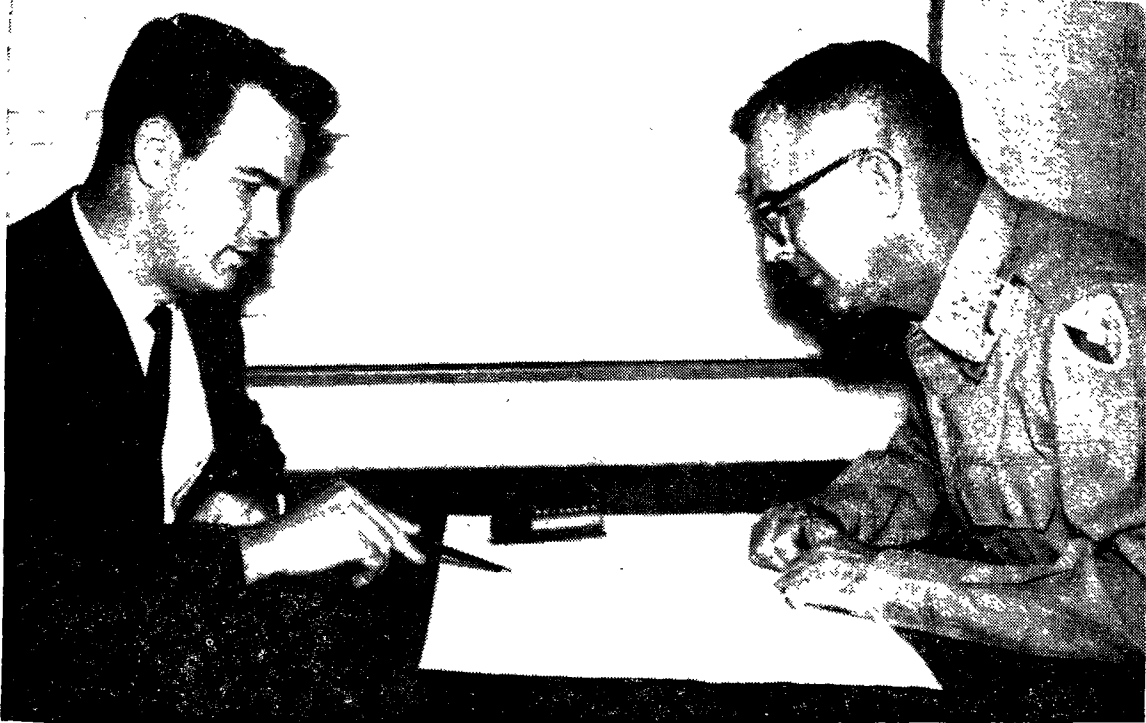
"In simple terms this means that the pulse out of the one-shot can be varied with a resistor adjustment, over a very wide range, as opposed to conventional circuits which require 'hand picked' components for each adjustment. The use of a circuit of this type in a voltage calibrator for missile application results in more versatility and less construction time," according to Cosby.

The patent grant points out that some additional uses would be in solid state commutators, missile roll position indicators, and it could easily be made to code information allowing use of one data channel in applications that would normally require two.

Cosby is from Rogersville, Ala., and has been working for the Army at Redstone since 1956. He

CALLED to active duty right after graduation from law school, 1st Lt. Robert G. Mahony of Oak Park, Ill., faced a difficult decision: wait two years before taking the state bar exam or try to pass the exam while serving in Vietnam with the 10th Transportation Battalion. He chose the latter, spent long hours studying in the hold of a marine repair ship, and was rewarded with a passing score on the difficult test. (ANF)

has studied at Athens College where his major subjects were physics and mathematics. Mrs. Cosby is the former Miss Patricia Broadway of Lexington, Ala. They have two children, Anthony Wayne, 7, and Lisa Ann, 5.



THIS IS HOW IT WORKS—Jimmy W. Cosby (left) tells Col. R. W. Mundy about the principles of operation in the solid state stepping switch sitting on the table in front of them. Cosby recently received a patent grant for the device which was designed for use as an inflight calibrator for a missile telemetry package. He is employed as an electronics engineer in the Missile Intelligence Directorate of the Army Missile Command. Col. Mundy heads the Directorate.

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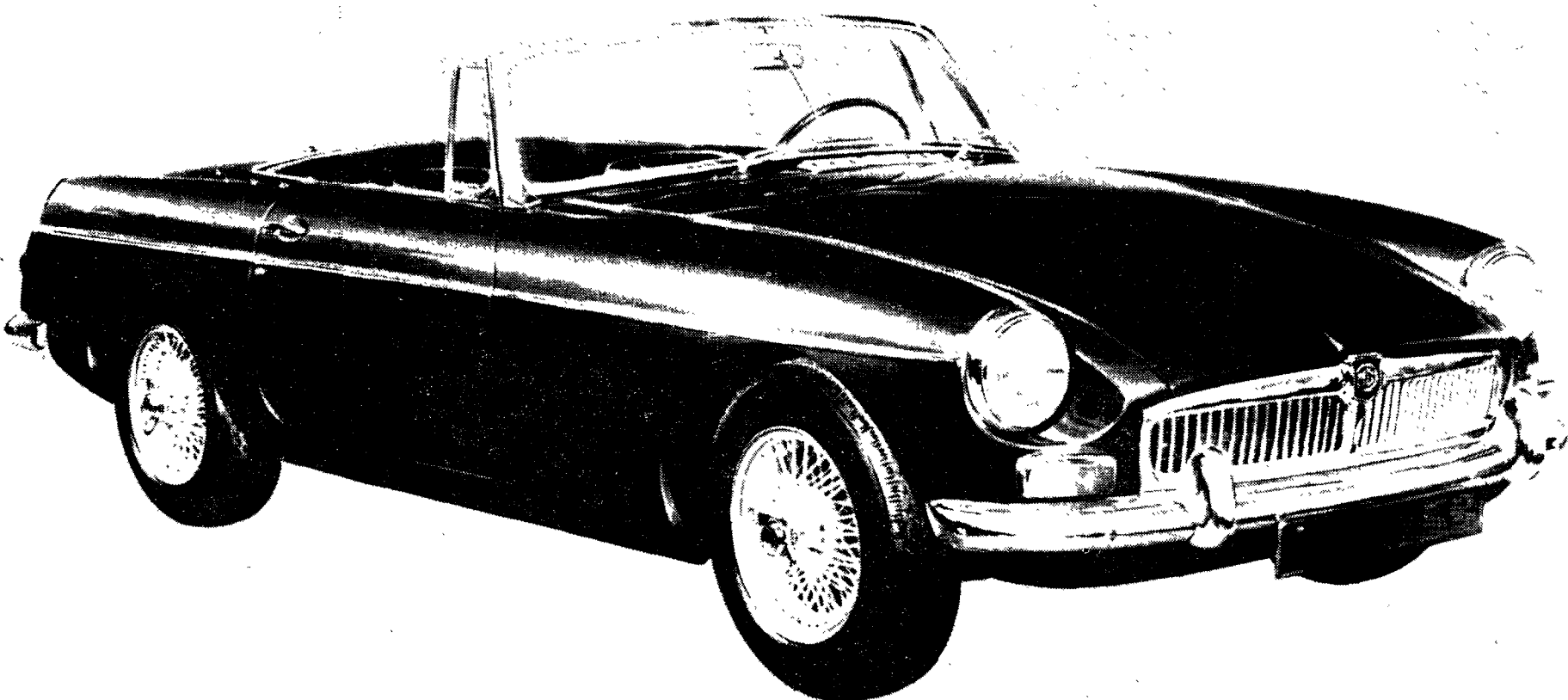
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# Lt. Col. Fogel Tells Class 'Critical Point' Reached

More than 140 graduates of the Missile and Munitions Center & School, were told at graduation ceremonies Friday that they are at " . . a critical point in their careers."

Guest speaker for the ceremony was Lt. Col. William H. Fogel, Research Analyst, Combat Development Command.

Col. Fogel listed three items necessary for qualification for what he called, "one of the keys

to the tactical success of units you will support. He told the students to expand their knowledge at every opportunity to have a good progressive attitude and to always give good "service" to their customers, people that are dependent upon their support in the field.

The 147 graduates, which included the first Jordanian student to graduate from MMCS, consisted of 10 classes covering eight different

courses. German and Korean students were also among the graduates.

The Association of the United States Army Educational Achievement Plaque was presented to Pvt. George A. Vera, Jr. who attained a 96 point grade average in the Ammunition Renovation course. The award was made by Col. Edward D. Mohlere (USA-Ret), AUSA Director, Tennessee Valley Chapter.

Other honor graduates were SP-4 Jerry D. Mitchell, Nike Missile Repair course; PFC John E. Ables, Nike Hipar Acquisition Radar and Radar Simulator Repair course; PFC Gerald L. Britton,

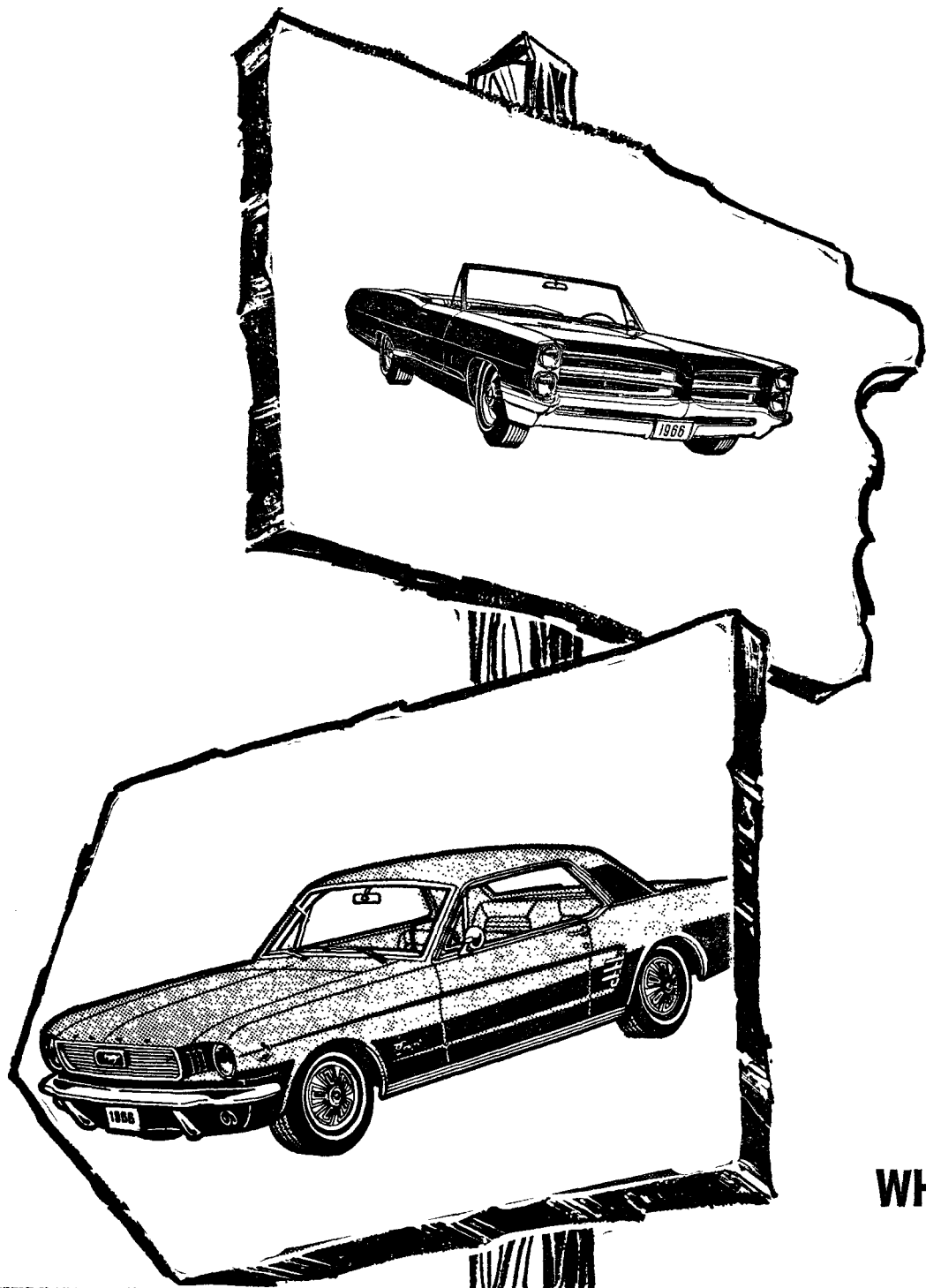
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**OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED**

The Huntsville chapter of the Federal Government Accountants Association will install new officers at tomorrow night's meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Elks Club.

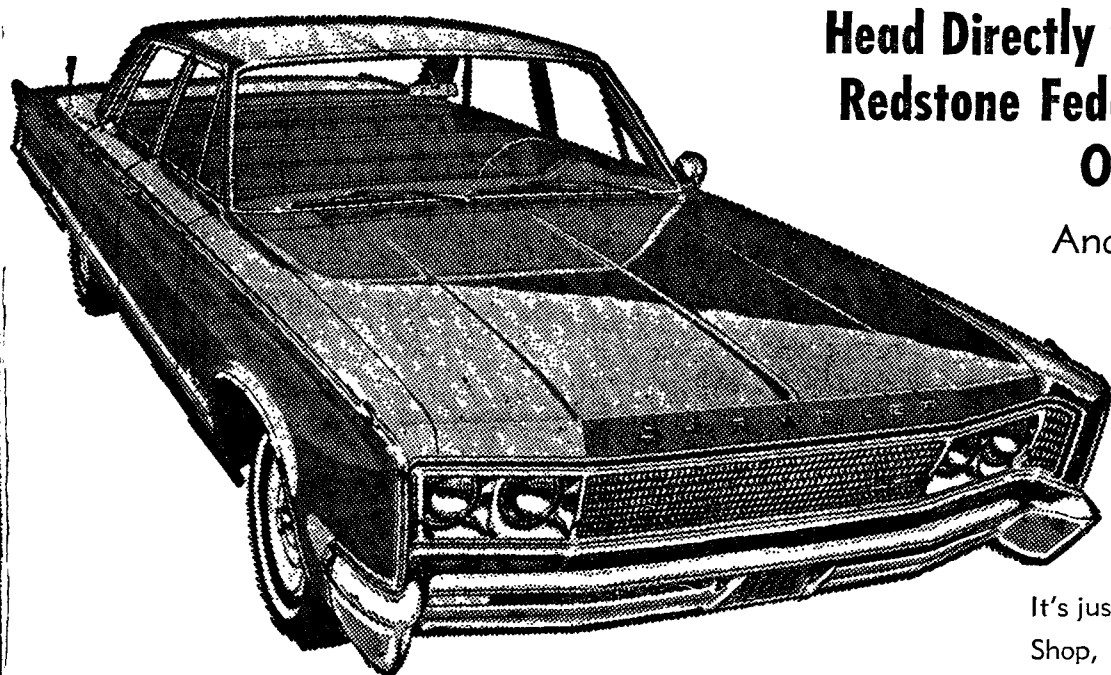
The new president will be Walter Shurden of the Marshall Space Flight Center. James Ratliff of the Missile Command will be first vice president; James E. Jones Jr., of the Center and School, is second vice president; Milton Looney, secretary and Paul Ritchie, treasurer, are both from the Missile Command.

On the agenda is a report on the National Symposium. Walter Parker, 876-5612 is handling reservations.



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# Col. William Kaiser Is Command Chief Of Staff

Col. William F. Kaiser has returned to Redstone Arsenal this week as Chief of Staff of the Army Missile Command. He replaces Col. E. J. McGinnis who has been Acting Chief of Staff and who now becomes Director of the Procurement and Production Directorate.

This is Col. Kaiser's second tour at the Army's North Alabama missile and rocket center. He previously served as Deputy Chief and then as Chief of the Control Office of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, and then as Chief of Control Office and Deputy to the Commanding General for Ballistic Missiles of the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

He comes to Redstone from White Sands Missile Range, N.M., where he served as Acting Deputy Commander since April, 1966.

Most of Col. Kaiser's military career has been spent in Army Ordnance with the past eleven years largely in missile-related work.

A native of Lafayette, Ind., Col. Kaiser holds a BS degree in Electrical Engineering from Purdue University and a Masters degree in Business Administration from the University of Chicago. He is a graduate of the Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, Va.

Col. Kaiser was commissioned in the Field Artillery (Reserve) out of ROTC at Purdue. He entered active military service in 1940. During 1944 and 1945 he was executive to the Chief of Ordnance Officer, Southwest Pacific Theater.

Following World War II, Col. Kaiser returned to private industry, then re-entered the Army in 1947 being assigned to Ft. Monroe, Va. In 1950 he went to Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, and in 1952 was named Commander of the Captieux Ordnance Depot in France.


He started working with missiles in 1955 when he took charge of depot operations at Pueblo Ordnance Depot. In 1962 Col. Kaiser was assigned as Commander of the U.S. Army Ordnance Depot, Korea, a post he held until 1963 when he was named Chief of Staff at White Sands Missile Range. He became Director, Missile Test and Evaluation, at WSMR in 1964, serving until his assignment as Acting Deputy Commander.

Col. Kaiser is married to the former Miss Blanche M. Swanson of Lafayette, Ind. They have one son, James, who is a student at Purdue University.



RETURNS TO REDSTONE—Col. William F. Kaiser is brought up-to-date by Sergeant Major John Monger as he gets right down to work in his new assignment as Chief of Staff of the U. S. Army Missile Command. Coming from White Sands Missile Range, N.M., this is the Colonel's second tour at the Army's North Alabama missile center.

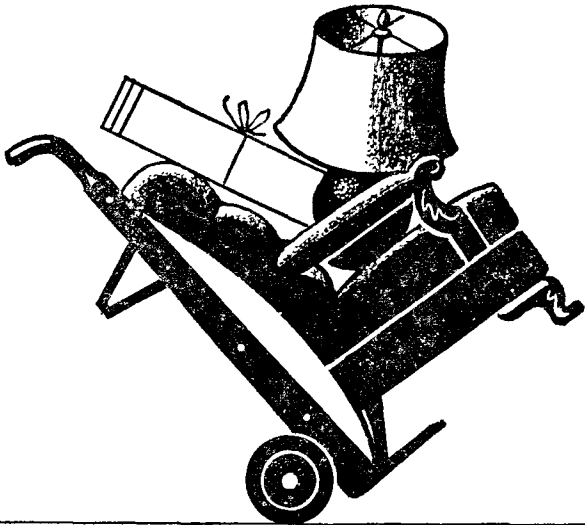
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## Solid Symposium Scheduled In July

The Technical Director of the Research and Development Directorate at the U. S. Army Missile Command, John L. McDaniel, will attend a Solid Propulsion Symposium in Washington, D. C., in July.

McDaniel will present a technical paper on problem areas in tactical solid propellant motors and serve as chairman of a session on that subject.

The July 19-21 symposium is being sponsored by the International Chemical Rocket Propulsion Group and the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics.

## Maj. Knapp Named Troop Commander

Maj. Donald F. Knapp has assumed command of School Troop Command, US Army Missile & Munitions Center & School.

Maj. Knapp began his service career as a Marine in June, 1945. He served until 1949 as a tank sergeant. He joined the Army in March, 1950. Maj. Knapp was graduated from OCS and Commissioned in May, 1951.

Overseas duty has taken him to Japan, Korea, (twice), and Europe. Before arriving at Redstone Arsenal in September 1965, he was

### NEW ART PROFESSOR

Richard C. Pope has been appointed the second full-time art professor at the University of Alabama in Huntsville. His appointment, effective Sept. 1, was announced by H. Clyde Reeves, the University's Vice-President for Huntsville Affairs.

the Division Ammunition Officer, Headquarters Support Command, 2nd Infantry Division, Korea.

Maj. Knapp succeeds Lt. Col. Robert C. Long who is scheduled to depart shortly for overseas duty.

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**CATHOLIC CHAPLAINS**—Temporarily, the assignments of Chaplain (Maj.) Peter C. Farrelly and Chaplain (Capt.) Charles D. Logue overlap. The Catholic parishioners at Redstone Arsenal gave a reception honoring the two men Sunday at the Post Chapel social rooms to welcome the new chaplain and wish Chaplain Logue in his new assignment overseas. Chaplain Logue recently received an Army Commendation Medal for the work he has accomplished at Redstone.

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**LT. WILLIAM GREER**

### Lt. Greer Named Aide To General

A 25-year-old Army officer from Nashville, Tenn., 1st. Lt. William B. Greer, has been named Aide-de-Camp to Brig. Gen. Edwin I. Donley, Deputy Commanding General for Land Combat Systems, U. S. Army Missile Command.

Gen. Donley was appointed to his one-star rank on April 1, 1966, and Lieutenant Greer is the first Aide to serve him.

Lt. Greer entered the Army in August 1963 and has been at Redstone Arsenal since April 1965. After 19 weeks as a student at the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, he was assigned to the Missile Command's Supply and Maintenance Directorate.

From March 1964 until his transfer to Redstone, Lt. Greer was with the 2nd. Battalion, 19th. Artillery in Korea. There, he served as a battery commander. Other Army installations where he has been stationed are Ft. Jackson, S. C., and Ft. Sill, Okla.

Lt. Greer is a graduate of Nashville's Central High School. He received a bachelor of science degree in industrial technology from Tennessee Technology University, Cookeville, Tenn., in 1963.

He is married to the former Tina Joyce Wells of Nashville. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Greer, live in Nashville.

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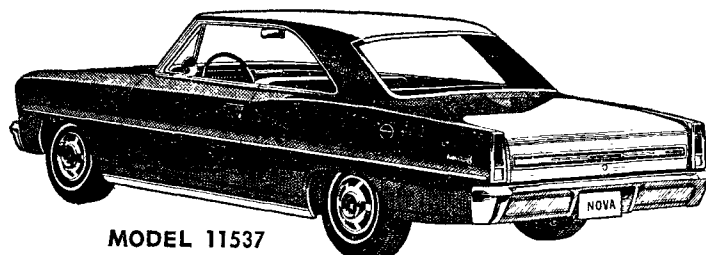
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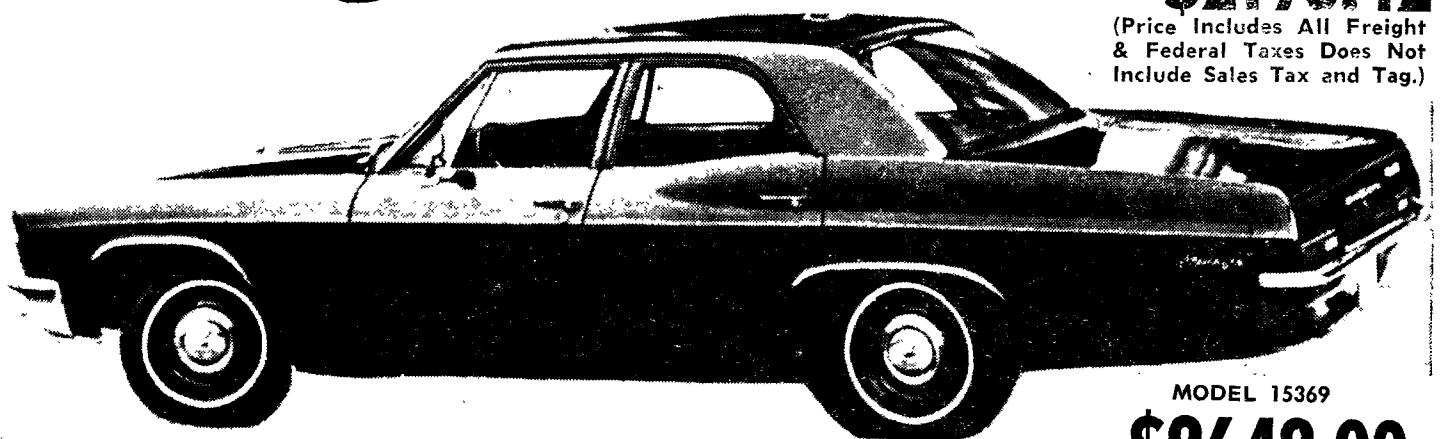
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